

WHAT IS INTERESTING WESTERLY

Sudden Death of Charles W. Shepard, at Shannock—Morrison Granite Company Incorporated—Fifth Company, C. A. C., at Fort Greble—Recent Accidents.

The father of the lace industry in this country, Charles W. Shepard, died suddenly of apoplexy Friday morning while on his way from a fishing trip in Paquet pond and when near the shore to his home in Shannock. He was seen to fall by Dr. Frank J. Harris, a Providence dentist, who was on his way to Shannock to sell on Mr. Shepard, who was an old friend. Mr. Shepard was dead before medical assistance could be summoned.

Mr. Shepard was born in Northampton, Mass., Dec. 3, 1844, and was one of the pioneer lace makers in the United States, having manufactured the first torbans and valances made here.

His establishment was located at West Barrington and was one of the chief promoters of the later organized Universal Lace works. During President Cleveland's second administration Mr. Shepard served as consul at Calais, France, where he learned much about the lace business. For many years previous to going to Calais, in 1894, he was interested in the iron business in Boston.

For some time prior to his death Mr. Shepard lived with his son in Shannock. He leaves his widow, Mrs. Julia N. Shepard, and two sons, Harold Warner and Roy Stewart, both of Shannock.

The Morrison Granite company of Westernly has been in the process of the laws of Rhode Island to engage in the general granite business. The capital stock is \$50,000, of which \$10,000 is preferred and the rest common stock. The incorporators are Joseph T. Murphy and Andrew C. Morrison of Westernly and James C. Morrison of Attleboro. The quarry, which has been worked for several years, is located on what is known as the Charles S. Noyes farm on the Mystic road in the town of Stonington and is about two miles from the Broad street bridge, the boundary line of Westernly and Pawcatuck.

There is a probability of realization of the movement that has been agitated for the past three years and that the site of the old schoolhouse in the center of the village of Westernly will be utilized for a new hall of records. The old record vaults have been condemned by the record commissioner, Herbert O. Brigham, of Providence, and the business in the town clerk's office has been outgrown the present quarters. The clerk says there is not even a record of the new volumes of state records which are required to be placed on file, and to make absolutely needed repairs would cost nearly as much as a new building, and then would not furnish adequate protection to the records of the town. The taxpayers will be called upon to take action on this important matter in the near future.

President Charles W. Willard of Westernly and his associates on the board of inland fisheries of the state of Rhode Island entertained the members of the legislative finance committee at the state hatchery in Wickford Friday. In the early afternoon the commissioners held special meetings, when several routine matters were transacted and complaints formally discussed. Upon arrival of the guests there was general inspection of the hatchery and its surroundings, followed with dinner and a period of recreation. Governor Potter planned to be present, but was prevented by reason of pressure of business.

The Second Artillery district troops, after eight days' tour of duty at Fort Greble, broke camp Sunday, and as the second district troops marched out those of the first district marched in and among the command was the Fifth company, Westernly, Captain Robert Gladstone Thackeray, and also Majors Arthur N. Nash and Bourdon. Breakfast of Westernly. The tour of duty will be completed next Sunday, when the soldiers will return to home stations and be relieved from drills until October.

This is probably the last year that the two districts will go to Fort Greble as such, as according to recent regulations a consolidation must be effected within the coming year, making one district of twelve companies instead of two of eight companies.

There was a flash in the pan of all the agitation of the Kingston Hill people against the poles and the stringing of wires by the electric light and telephone companies along the main thoroughfare of that village. No one appeared before the recent meeting of the town council to oppose it or to state the cause of opposition. Those in favor of granting the franchise were out in force. The construction of the pole line will probably be commenced with the least possible delay.

According to government reports just issued the per capita debt of Rhode Island shows quite a few changes, varying from 55 cents in 1922 to \$3.02 in 1932. This difference is due largely to the increase in bonded indebtedness. The per capita tax debt of Connecticut

was lowest from 1904 to 1908, due to reduction of the funded debt, and to steadily increasing growth in population. The debt per capita reflected the fluctuation of the debt less the sinking fund assets, decreasing gradually from \$7.98 in 1890 to 36 cents in 1907, and increasing very rapidly to \$4.13 in 1912.

Local Laconies.

Eugene Burrows Pendleton was a visitor in Shannock Saturday.

Three troops of Rhode Island cavalry will encamp with cavalry of other states at Pomfret Aug. 8-16.

The 13 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Updike Whitford fell while at play on Friday and broke his left arm.

The members of the Westernly Girls' club had an outing at Deans Mills Saturday, making the trip in automobiles.

Harry W. Whipple of Beaufort, S. C., has arrived on his annual visit to Westernly and will spend the remainder of the summer here.

The members of the Potter Hill chapel Sunday school and of the Congregational church at Alton held outings at Atlantic Beach Saturday.

Charles Larkin, in attempting to get into his wagon while in York avenue Thursday afternoon, slipped and fell, fracturing his left arm just above the elbow.

Mr. and Mrs. William G. Hammond and son George of New York are making their home during the summer with Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Hammond in High street.

The Hammonds are a musical family and give a series of musicals at Watch Hill during the season. William G. Hammond is a leading organist of New York city and plays the organ at the Watch Hill chapel during the season. He is a song writer and some of his productions were favorites with the late Madame Nordica and are now sung by David Bispham and Gadsby.

STONINGTON

Hereafter Peddlers Must Have a License—Committee Not Ready to Report on School Matters—Clark's Team Defeats Stoningtons, 21-6.

The voters of the borough have adopted the ordinance recently drafted by the warden and burgesses and the same is now in effect. The new by-laws follow:

1. No person shall sell any goods, wares or merchandise, other than fish, charcoal or the produce of farms and gardens, in said borough, from house to house, or upon the streets or sidewalks or public grounds, either at auction or private sale, without a license.

The warden and burgesses shall fix the amount of such license and it shall be the duty of the warden to grant the same, and keep a record thereof, and pay over the money accruing therefrom to the treasurer of said borough.

2. Any person who shall violate the provisions of section 1 of this ordinance shall forfeit his license and pay a penalty of not less than \$5 nor more than \$10 for such offense.

Clarks Defeat Borough Team.

The baseball game between the Clarks and Stonington Saturdays afternoon on Stanton's field was a fast and exciting one, the score being 21 to 6 in favor of the Clarks. Since the reformation of the new league both managers have taken advantage of the opportunity to strengthen their teams.

The Clarks have been going well lately and from the present outlook will be contenders for the pennant to the end. The Stonington management has secured an entirely new team.

School Committee to Report Later.

The special school investigating committee, appointed at a recent special town meeting to look into the town's school affairs met Friday evening in Pawcatuck at Lee Gavitt's for the purpose of hearing any complaints from that part of the town. While the committee has had several visits from people in different parts of the town during its sessions the last few weeks it has nothing whatever to give out at present. This will all be reserved for the report it is to make at the next special town meeting. The committee is now at work on this report.

New Pastor Begins Duties.

Rev. James E. O'Brien, assistant pastor of the Church of the Immaculate Conception for the past 16 years, who has been appointed pastor of St. Mary's church, Stonington, by Bishop John J. Nolan of the Hartford diocese, began his pastorate Sunday. During his 16 years in Waterbury Father O'Brien has interested himself in civic as well as religious affairs and has become one of the most popular clergymen of that city.

Waterbury was his second appointment, as he was first sent to be curate at St. Joseph's cathedral in Hartford immediately after his ordination. Father O'Brien was born in Branford and

obtained his earlier schooling there. He was a student at the Branford High school and was graduated from that institution in 1890. He then went to St. Mary's seminary, Manchester, N.H., where he took his college course and was graduated in 1894. He was ordained in the chapel of St. Mary's seminary by Cardinal Gibbons in 1898. He remained as curate at the cathedral parish in Hartford for three months and in September, 1898, went to Waterbury and has been there ever since. Father O'Brien was acting pastor of the Church of the Immaculate Conception after the death of the rector, Monsignor William J. Slocum.

Class Outing.

A reunion and all-day sail of the class of 1913, Stonington High school, was held Friday, the class making the trip to Block Island on the tug Westernly.

C. E. to Furnish Lunch.

The Christian Endeavor society of the Second Congregational church will furnish luncheon on Monday of the centennial to the members of the Connecticut Daughters of the War of 1812 who are to be present at the ceremony of the unveiling of the tablet that marks the site of the old fort. The chapel and parlors will be open on that day, to be used as rest rooms.

At the school of the Second Congregational church Sunday morning.

JEWETT CITY

Funeral of Mrs. Cynthia J. Brewster—Members of Methodist Sunday School, on Picnic, Fight Fire Which Burns Barn.

Funeral services for Mrs. Cynthia J. Brewster were held at her home Saturday afternoon at three o'clock. Rev. W. N. Gane, pastor of the Congregational church, officiated. Burial was in the Jewett City cemetery. The bearers being Dr. G. H. Jennings, Simon Brewster, G. A. Haskell and E. H. Gilbert. The arrangements were in charge of F. H. Tillinghast.

Miss Mary McCarthy of Willimantic spent Sunday with Miss Grace Sullivan and Miss Ella Oakes.

Methodist Sunday School Outing.

The Methodist Sunday School picnic was held at the home of Mrs. Bishop's Crossing, Saturday afternoon. There was a number of races and games. In the races for the Men's class, Ralph Thatcher won the prize, a jack knife. Hugh Davis won the prize in the race for Miss Maud Barrett's class. Forsetta Robertson won a ring in Miss Florence Thatcher's class race, and Miss Matilda Farrar won a handkerchief in the race for Miss Bessie McCluggage's class. Miss Annie Robertson won a handkerchief in the Gardner class race. There was a tug of war for the men and women but for some reason (known only to the rope breakers) and "Ladies, be seated!" was the close of the act.

Sandwiches, cake, lemonade and ice cream made up the appetizing picnic luncheon. The committee were: General committee, the teachers of the school, R. R. Robertson, chairman; and sports, E. Ryler of Norwich society of that place. On Sunday a big shore dinner was given them at Rocky Point and a pleasant time was enjoyed. The return trip was made Sunday evening.

Outing to Mason's Island.

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Rev. C. H. Ricketts of Norwich Addresses Union Temperance Meeting—Singing Society Entertained at Pawtucket—Outing to Mason's Island.

There was a large attendance at the Union Baptist church Sunday evening at the quarterly meeting of the Mystic Valley Temperance union, it being a union meeting of the Methodist, Congregational and Baptist churches. Rev. C. H. Ricketts of Greenville gave a very interesting temperance lecture. A union Young People's meeting was held in the vestry at 8:30 o'clock.

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